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PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 CFR 1.136(a)

Docket Number (Optional)
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In re Application of Livak et al.	
Application Number 09/627,753	Filed July 28, 2000
For Hybridization Assay Using Self-Quenching Fluorescence Probe	
Group Art Unit 1637	
Examiner J. Riley	First Class Mail

This is a request under the provisions of 37 CFR § 1.136(a) to extend the period for filing a response in the above-identified application.

The requested extension and appropriate non-small-entity fee are as follows
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Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27. Therefore, the fee amount shown above is reduced by one-half, and the resulting fee is: \$ _____.

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